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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Oliver HARNACK, et al.

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FOR: METHOD OF ATTACHING HYDROPHILIC SPECIES TO HYDROPHILIC  
MACROMOLECULES AND IMMOBILIZING THE HYDROPHILIC  
MACROMOLECULES ON A HYDROPHOBIC SURFACE

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

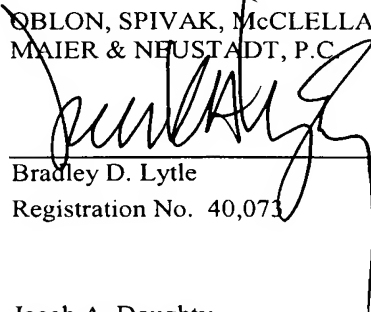
SIR:

Applicant's representative hereby respectfully requests that an Oral Hearing be scheduled in the above-identified application.

An online credit card payment in the amount of \$1,030.00 to cover the fee is being made and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

Respectfully submitted,

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